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CURRENT ACCOUNTS Hongkung, 24th May, 1893. THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND

THE STRAITS, LIMITED. CAPITAL CALLED-UP..., 251,093.15.0

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Wm. Keswick, Esq.-Chairman. Adolf von André, Esq. | F. D. Sassoon, Esq. Egbert Iveson, Esq. H. D. Stewart, Esq. David McLean, Esq.

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LLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS And Fixed Deposits, can be ascertained on application. CHANTREY INCHBALD,

Manager. Hongkong, roth April, 1803

Insurances.

THE STANDARD.

ENDOWMENT

ASSURANCE. I. AMONG THE MANY ADVANT

AGES of this form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned:-(a)—It secures an immediate Provision for wife and family or other rela-

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STANDARD LIFE OFFICE. Hongkong, 8th August, 1803.

NOTICE. N. SUMO THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY,

LIMITED., &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies."

CHAU TSEUNG FAT, Secretary. HEAD OFFICE. No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hougkong, 1st September, 1893.

GENERAL NOTICE THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS. 1 10. Lo Yeur Moon, Kig. 1. SING, Esq.

LOU TSO SHUM, Esq. MANAGER.—HO AMEL

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., takes Materials can be supplied, if required, IVI at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the

974 L. Hengleong, 22nd April, 1891. Hongkong, 17th December, 1885.

Intimations.

NOTICE. THE SHAMEENHOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

NARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above-named Company will be held in he COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 7. D'AUUILAR SERET, Honekong. TO-MORROW, the 13rd intent, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report and a Statement of Account of the Company's business to 30th June, and electing Directors and Auditor for the ensuing year.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th inst. Inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors. R. C. HURLEY, Secretary.

Hongkong, 22nd September, 1803. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, TO-MORROW, the 23rd Instant, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1891. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 23rd September, both days inclusive. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 22nd September, 1893. THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE.

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to PAY the Call of FIFTY. CENTS per Share on the Ordinary Shares in the above Company, standing in their Names on the Register of the Company, and to note that this was DUE on the 3rd instant.

A. O'D. GOURDIN. Secretary. Hongkong, 12th September, 1893.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE. A FTER this date NO FULLY PAID-UP SHARES of this Company will be TRANSFERRED on which the Calls on the NEW SHARES standing in the same Name remain Unpaid.

R. LYALL, Hongkong, 10th April, 1893. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

By Order,

LIMITED. SUMMER CHARGES. JUNE, JULY, AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER,

\$75 PER MONTH for BOARD and LODGING in ROOMS facing Peddar Street or to the Eastward.

FURNISHED ROOMS without Board \$45 Per Month. Apply to Manager and/or Secretary.

HONGKONG HOTEL. Hongkong, 19th May, 1893.

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Proprietor. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1803. BOARD AND RESIDENCE.

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Hongkong, 28th February, 1803. . W KEW & CO.'S STEAM WATER BOATS. PURE FRESH WATER.

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Hongkong, 13th June, 1893. AN APPEAL

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and Collars renewed on old ones. Ladies and "Children's Under-clothing, Children's Dresses, and all kinds of Embroidery, The Superioress will also be most grateful for any Paren, or old Hayrrores to be made into

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Hongkong, 15th September, 1893.

SHOOTING SEASON 1893!

FOWLING PIECES IN CASES WITH IMPLEMENTS. MARTINI-HENRI MATCH RIFLES, WINCHESTER CARBINES, COLTS' "LIGHTNING" CARBINES, REVOLVERS.

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Hongkong, oth August, 1803.

THE

HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin "-A. B. C. Code,-TELEPHONE, No. 12.

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R. TUCKER Manager. Hongkong, 12th February, 1892.

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Hongkong, 26th August, 1803.

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HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. THERE will be NO COMPETITION TO-MORROW owing to the Gymkhaus.

ED. ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 21st September 1893.

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FLETCHER & Co. Hongkong, 4th September, 1893.

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REGULAR CONVOCATION of the above Chapter will be held in the FREEMA-PONT HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW. the 33rd instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Companions are cordially invited. Honghong, 21st September, 1505.

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"CATHERINE APCAR." Captain J. G. Olisent, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 23rd instant, at Noon.

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THE Company's Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, arst September, 1803.

FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL THE Steamship "PORT ALBERT," Captain C. E. Bird, R N.R., will be despatched

for the above Port on MONDAY, the 25th inst. instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL CARLILL & Co. Agents

Hongkong, 20th September, 1803. "BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. THE Steamship

"BENLAWERS," Captain Webster, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 27th instant, at 4 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, 20th September, 1803. - [1034 "MOGUL" LINE OF-STEAMERS. FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Steamship

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Hongkong, 20th September, 1803. "SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS, Steamship "TROCAS."

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"John R. Kelly,"

Consignees.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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Hongkong, 21st September, 1893/ 4 occidental and oriental steam-SHIP COMPANY.

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Manghong, 19th September, 1862.

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Hongkong, 4th September, 1893.

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TO SUBSCRIBERS. HONGKONG et THE SUBSORIBEES TO TELEGRAPH" ARE MOST RESPECTEULLY REMINDED THAT ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS

BIRTH. On the 22nd instant, at Meirion, the Peak, the wife of E. JONES HUGHES, of a daughter.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1893.

TELEGRAMS.

(Special to Honghong Telegroph.) FATALITY IN PAHANG. SINGAPORE, 22nd September, 1893.

12.26 p.m.

Mr. H. M. Becher, mining expert, of the firm of Becher, Louis & Co., who was for several has been drowned in Pahang.

[We suppose the bapless defunct was on a special mission to Pahang with Brother James Orange, the talented Chairman of the Publom Co., when the accident happened which transferred him to another and (it is sincerely to be hoped) a batter world !-Ed. H.R. Telegraph.]

THE VICEROYALTY OF INDIA.

LONDON, September 21st. General Sir Henry Wylle Norman, Governor of Queensland, has declined the position of Vicesoy of India, feeling his strength to be unequal

o such an ardeque post

TROUBLES IN MASHONALAND.

During the debate on the supplies Sir Charles Buxton, Parliamentary Secretary to the Colonial Office, admitted that the situation in Mashonaland was daily becoming graver. He hoped a vised the South Africa Company to hurry on their preparations so as to make victory a certainty if attacked.

THE SILVER PURCHASE BILL. The position of the United States Senate doubtful. The State of Idaho has expressed resolve to urge the Silverites to resort to every expedient to oppose the repeal of the Sherman

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

WE would remind shareholders in the Shameen Hotel Co. that the annual general meeting will take place at noon to-morrow in the Company! office, No. 7, D'Aguilar Street. The report o the Directors, with a statement of accounts, wil be found in another part of this issue.

THE famous Hungarian violinist Ignacius Erdalyl carried a lot of American dollars back to his native land some years ago and there became known as "the King of the Talgani," No sooner had Ignacius promoted himself to the throne than he acquired the morphine habit, and now he has gone and blown out his brains.

THE thrilling and sensational slander case between Mr. R. C. Hurley and Mr. H. Carmichael which hangs fire so persistently, failed to go off again to-day. Another effort is, we believe, to be made next Friday. These repeated misfires seem to indicate that somebody is unable to keep his powder dry. Who is it, and what is the matter?

ACCORDING to private advices from Singapore. the Directors of the Islebu Mining and Trading Co. Ltd., have officially notified a dividend of to cents per share for the past half-year, which is at the rate of 20 per cent, per appum. And yet the shares of this apparently most prosperous enterprise are freely offered in the local Share Market at \$5.60. Very strange !

THE ways of the British Post Office at Hongkong, says the Shanghai Mercury of the 16th instagre amongst the things that "no fellow can understand." "The latest instance of its eccentricity is the receipt, to-day, of correspondence from that colony with dates 7th, 8th, and oth. Yesterday we received papers of the 10th. 11th, and 12th. Those of 4th and 5th will doubtless, soon arrive!"

WE are indebted to the management of the Hongkong Hotel for samples of a very good old High and whisky, from the Glen Almond Distillery, a popular institution that has been flou ishing since 1805. This whisky has a mellow flavour, and al'elt a slight soupcon of nest reek -which Scotchmen will regard rather as an improvement than otherwise- is a very sound and toothsome tipple. The Glen Almond is worth ishroffing by conneisseurs.

Sold in The containing to ibs. each.......\$1.50 A ONE innings cricket match, Old Members v.\$4.00 Griffins, was played in rainy weather at Shanghal last Saturday, and resulted in a crushing defeat for the veteran players, who were all dismissed for 75 runs, A. Anderson (29) alone veaching double figures. Carrothers took six wickets for 22 runs and D. W. Crawford three for 6. On assuming the defensive the Griffins made a splendid stand and at the call of time had piled up 132 for the loss of only one wicket, J. Mann and F. H./Sawyer being not out for 71 and 51 respectively.

> At the Magistracy this forenoon before Mr Wodehouse, a motley crowd of some fourteen arcient Chinese were charged by Sergeant Moffat with gambling at the popular game of hol low. In defence one of the gentlemen stated that he went to wash his face, which badly wanted cleaning; another artist avowed that he went to find a friend; the friend said he went there to amuse himself: another victim had merely to collect a little bill; and the rest of the party slept there, and were all innocent. Fined two dollars or ten days.

> "NATURE" of August 17th on Professor Doberck and typhoons:-Dr W. Dobetck has communicated to Hansa of July 20th and August 5th an interesting article on the typhoons of the China Sea, a subject of which he has made a special study, and for the collection of the necesgary materials his position as director of the Hongkong Observatory offers many advantages. So long ago as September, 1886, he commun cated to the Hongkong Talegraph a paper on the law of storms in the Eastern Seas. The present article embodies the facts there set forth so far as they relate to the subject in question, together with the results of the experience subsequently gained. The typhoons, like the hurricanes of the West Indies and other parts. generally give premonitory signs, such as the motions of cirrus clouds, the swell of the sea, and motion of the barometer, but there appears to be some difficulty in determining whether depressions will result in ordinary gairs or in typhoons, and it is executial to determine quickly how a ship lies with respect to the advance of the centre of the disturbance. In these and other details which are of primary importance o the s-aman navigating the China Seas, the information contained in the paper will be very

THUS our Shanghat contemporary the Mercury: -Shanghal has not yet decided upon the composition of the team which is to be sent to Kobe to sustain the Model Settlement's reputation in the cricket field early next month, but the list will shortly be completed. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha, with their accustomed liberality, have offered to take the cricketers over to Kobe on doubtless be much appreciated in these hard upon this he stumbled upon the great direcvery as to who the players the Scottish team in the consist of, and whether crack players who do not ordinary Saturday match between the members' of the S.C.C. We cannot help thinking this is unfortunate. The cricket reason this year has been characterised by sufficient monotony and lifelessness already, without the enlistment of petty prejudices, which should not exist in the realms of sport, and we are very glad to hear that several of the most staunch and esteemed cricketers of the S.C.C. manfully set their faces against the icnovation of excluding men who new regulation. Batter a grice congress of

It is stated that in consequence of an excep- THE ordinary general meeting of shareholders tionally good harvest in Anhui and the neigh- in the Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd., will be held bouring provinces, the rice market at Wuhn has In the Company's effices at noon to-morrow. opened this reason with quotations very favourable to purchasers.

peaceful settlement would be arrived at, but ad- THE Shanghai Mercury says "so heavy have business will be a motion by the Colonial been the demands upon the products of the Hankow Cotton Mills of late, that night work has been ordered to commence permanently from the 20th inst."

> A REGULAR Convocation of St. Andrew's not be held to-norrow. The range, however, Chapter, No. 218, S.C., will be held in Free has been lent to the Volunteer Corps for practice. masons' Hall, Zetland Street, to-morrow, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting companions are cordially invited.

> Solo, in mid-Java, for kidnapping Javanese 20,000 words, which he says he can repeat in children to dispose of them at Singapore, has 40 minutes, and he offers a prize of 40,000 floring been convicted of the offence and sentenced to to any stenography who will take him down. ten years hard labour in chains.

> 29th. Mrs. Brown Potter, with the rest of the before a law class in the "Crime of Negligence," was due on the 17th of September. The Com- director who assumes a trust and then neglects pany will open at the Corinthian Theatre on to fill its duties. Now he is under indictment for October 1st.

auspices of Mr. Billy Waters at Chang Su-ho's to come on before theChief Justice next Monday cribed as "The Great Unknown."

THE Parisians are credited with having found mustard plaster? out now to make talse eyelashes. They draw a fine needle, threaded with dark hair, through the An Englishman named John Chandler, who has skin of the eyelid, forming long loops, and after the process is over-it is said to be a painless one—a splendld dark fringe veils the wearer's Mr. Hastings at the Magistracy to-day and

In connection with the recent Bombay riots fifty- hauled out a lot of old scaman's discharges, but one Hindus, charged with disorderly behaviour were on the and instant fined one rupes each. The men were intercepted by the police and soldiers proceeding from Parel in the direction of the Native town. They were deprived of the sticks with which they were armed, and as they have been locked up for 20 days, the Magistrate only fined them the amount stated.

THE Paris Eciair, referring to the King of Slam's departure from Bangkok, says that it was due to British intrigues. The Eclair continues: "The English are unwise in interfering with our affairs la Asia. We could do them more harm than they us. We did not interfere on the occasion of the Bombay rlots. If we chose to despatch a few fanatics from Algeria, it might turn out awkward."

THE statement that has been made by a Hong kong contemporary that six cricketers from the colony are going to Kobe "to join the remainder of an eleven to be furnished by Shanghai," is not quite correct, says the N. C. Daily News. Shangbal is sending a full team which will play a match with Kobe. Arrangements are not yet definitely known here, but in all probability one of the matches will be China (an eleven made up from Shanghai and Hongkong) v. Japan (represented by Kobe and Yokohama players).

ONE of the most remarkable illustrations of progress in electrical appliances is electrolytic painting. Hitherto, says Electricity, if copper or other metal had to be deposited electrically, a bath of solution was needed. Now all this is changed, and a ship's hull can be plated as easily as a spoon or a teapot. Instead of a bath insoluble salts, ground to a fine powder and mixed with water, are used. This mixture painted on the metal to be plated by a fine wire brush, to which one pole of a dynamo conductor is attached, the other pole being connected wit a plate. Not only pure metal, but all sorts of alloy can be used.

THE annual meeting of members of the St -Andrews Society was held yesterday evening. Mr. D. Gilles presided, and there was a large attendance. In moving the adoption of the report and accounts, the Chairman spoke of the great loss which the Society had suffered by the death of some of its members. particularly those of Mr. Legge and Mr. Skene. The report and accounts having been passed, the following officers were elected: - President, the hop. I. J. Keswick; vice president, Mr. J. H. Scott; hon, sec., Mr. H. W. Fraser; how. treas, Capt. G. C. Anderson; committee, Dr. Cantlie, Messrs. G. M. Bain. A. McConschie, F. Henderson, W. McBean, After some discussion it was decided to give a ball on St. Andrew's day. The usual votes of thanks concluded the proceedings.

REFERRING to our old friends the Stanley Awing the Rawal Pindi correspondent of the Indian Daily News under date August 10th, says :-The Stanley Opera Company have finished with us, and have gone down the country again, stopping for a short time at Lahore. Th literally exhausted themselves while here, for at least six of their number have been down with the Publish fever. Their stay has been a blg success, although on their opening night, wit La Mascotte " advertised, they were compelled to announce a day's postponement, as their scenic effects had been delayed at Lalla Musa, They, however, contrived to secure packed houses for eleven nights and have thoroughly won over the Pindi folks, although the company is by no means arything extra. We have, however, been served with the crase of Ta-ra-raboom-de-ay and now feel more on a level with other mortals, who had seen the dance before,

Or all the cures which have emerged into public notice from time to time, the simplest and the most easy is that which Major-General Drayson describes in the Nineteenth Century. He calls it the art of breathing, and he seems to have hit upon it by mere accident when he was climbing a very high mountain. The sarefaction of the air at that altitude rendered it necessary for him to breathe twice as fast as he would have done at a lower level. All inconvenience caused by the rarefaction of the air disappeared when very favourable terms, a compliment which will he doubled the rate of his breathing. Reflecting times. Meanwhile we hear of little differences which should immortalize him if there is of opinion amongst the members of the S.C.C. anything in it. Breathing in the ordinary way be pumps fourteen pints of alr into historical struggle with the Sassenach ought to his lungs per minute, containing three pints of oxygen, with which he can suffihappen to belong to the S.C.C., but to the clently oxygenate his blend. But on ascending "other" club, are to be excluded from upholding to 7 000 feet the pumping of fourteen pints of air the honour of the "Heilanders.". By this un- into his lungs per minute would only take in a Scots are deprived of the services of a couple of: three riots to oxygenate the blord, he became years manager of the Ponjom Gold Mining Co., the best players in Shanghal, and the contest almost suffocated. His heart paintated and he leses thereby much of its international character, was in danger of his life, but by suddenly double being reduced to merely the dimensions of an ling the rate at which he had been breathing he found instant relief. He has tried it under a great many circumstances. Whenever he was in a vitlated atmosphere be was able to get sid of his hes dache and inciplent paintation of the heart by taking long breaths twice as rapidly as he would on ordinary occasions. He maintains that in a very great many cases pain, sleeplestness, headsche and many other ills which flesh is held to could be almost instantly relieved by Rose, first-class boy, H.M.S. Pigney, who was gun. I did not see anybody examine it. It was this simple practice. Moderate exercise in the fatally wounded on board, on the sith inst., as not examined before I began picking up cas the have for several years done battle for Scotlard, open air, upon which all doctors insist, he asserts and their defection from the historic contest is is quite unnecessary. All that you need to do is also threatened because of their disgust with the to breathe as rapidly as if you were taking moderate exercise.

AT the next meeting of the Legislative Council, on Monday, the 15th September, at 3 p.m., the Secretary for the expenditure of \$96,000 on gaol extension.

THE usual weekly shooting competition among members of the Hongkong Rifle Association will Firing commence at 3 p.m.

HERR POLLAK, who claims to be the fastest talker in the wold, is on exhibition at the A CHIMAMAN, who was recently arrested at World's Fair. He has a meaningless list of

THE Indianapolis Fournal states that less than MR. Kyrle Bellew arrived in Calcutta on August a year ago Judge Jenkina delivered a lecture Company, were on board the Arabia, which and during the lectire cited the case of the bank doing that very thing.

An Athletic Tournament was given under the THE "Buffet" licente mandamus sult is fixed Gardens, Shanghal, on Saturday last. It is It was to have been b-day, but Mr. Francis and reported to have been a great success. Mr. Mr. Robinson block the way with their jeswaters would up with a pugilist who is des- chests. As the Q C says, "our complaint is that the defendant has pasted a red label on his chest in imitation of the plaintiff."—Why not a

the reputation of having been one of the smartest plicts on the Yangtsie river, was brought before charged with drunken and disorderly conduct. After fumbling in his pockets for a bit, defendant as these were not considered by his Worship as equivalent to the Mexican forfeited to the Crown, the ex-pilot took the alternative of seven days imprisonment.

THE house of Mr. J. P. Cottam, the popular manager of the Hongkong Trading Company, breech and be at the muzzle. After it was was the scene of a predatory exploit last night which seems very similar to the one at. Mr. Dodwell's house recently. Mr. Cottam awoke hearing dogs barking, and found his bedroom window open : several valuable articles were missing, and apparently the house servants must have known all about it, since the place had been securely fastened up for the night. The window must have been unfastened from the standing at the muzzle to close the gun-port in inside before it could be opened. "The police

tion with the Man On Insurance Company will shortly come before the Supreme Court. The questions at issue, we understand, concern recent disputes or differences of opinion amongst the Directors, and involve somewhat serious consequences. It is stated that Mr. Ed. Robinson, barrister-at-law, instructed by Mr. H. L. Dennys will appear for the plaintiffs (Mesers. Kaw Hong Take and Mr. Lam Sin Sang), and Mr. J. J. Francis, O.C., instructed by Mr. Victor Deacon, for the defendants, the present Directors of the Company. Damages, will be claimed to the extent of \$10,000.

THE annual meeting of the Hongkong Cricket Club was held yesterday evening. Mr. A.] Leach presided, and in moving the adoption of the report and accounts mentioned the Bokhara disaster, which occurred shortly after the last annual meeting. He also regretted the loss to the Club by the departure of the brothers Coxon. A China versus Japan match had been arranged, to played Kobe; Hongkong would be represented by Capt. Dumbleton, Mr. E. A. Ram, Mr. C. M. Firth, Lt. Markbam, Lt. Strick, and Lt. Anderson, H.K.R. The report and accounts were passed on the motion of the Chairman seconded by Mr. Hawkins. The elections for the vear resulted as follows :--- president, Mr. A. J. Leach : hon. secretary, Mr. E. A. Ram ; hon, treasurer. Mr. G. C. Murray; committee, Dr. Lowson, Lieut,-Col. Robinson, S.L.I., Messrs. A. G. Wise, V.A.C., Hawkins, and S. L. Darby The usual vote of thanks terminated the meeting.

WE resid to observe that our esteemed contemporary the Progrès de Saigon has gon mad. There is nothing to be alarmed abouthe is not anything near so dangerous as he seems. In fact, he is perfectly harm'ess, though suffering under the delusion that he is splitting fire and beimstone, whereas really it is very ordinary drivel. He has taken up the dead and buried war-cry which he learnt about recently as having been used at Fontenoy-"Messieurs les Anglais, fire first in And he is using that as his text for a fit of fearful Anglophobic covering quite a long string of articles, all of the frantic screechy kind. If the Progres was comic paper, readers would wearily set down M Marsal's signed articles as too wild even for narody. If we remember rightly. Marsal is the man who had a duel about a year ago, and shot a cow. and the seconds declared " blood is drawn -honour is satisfied." But the owner of the cow was not satisfied, until Marsal pawned h! other shirt to pay for the damage. This then, is the fire-exter who yells his littl lungs hourse, this frog who tries to beliew like a bull, challenging England to fight, and defying Messieus les Auglals to "fire first He boldly orders his government to do exactly what the British Government has forbidde and says in his juvenile experness " If they wis to hinder us, let them come on !" (Prograti September 2nd.) Then he follows this up wi repeated ebullitions of doddering insanity, of which we reproduced a specimen yesterday. A harping on the same old string—" Messieurs les Anglais, fire first." England has nothing to fire at-least of all would there be any need to fire at such Imbeciles as this Marsal. Besides. England does not fire first in any quarrel; she fires last She does not begin the fight, but she ends and the end has often not been pleasing to the enemy. England usually comes out all right at the finish-they laugh longest who laugh To laugh at the Progres, however, is a species of cruelty to the weak. It is distinctly bullying to jump on these poor Frenchmen, who are always getting themselves but. In fact, their mad ravings have in times post brought them to such extremes of misery that one can only feel sprry for there, in spite of their bad temper. They talk sometimes to people who take them at their word-Prussians, for fortunate and rather narrow-minded decision, the pint and a half of oxygen, and as it requires. Instance—and they really do not deserve sympathy when they are besten. Just now they are making a desperate effort to get themselves killed by John Bull ; but we are always merciful,

> THE ACCIDENT ON H.M.S. "PIGMY."

> > CORONER'S INQUIST.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. H. E. Wodehouse. coroner, held an inquest on the body of William reported in these columns.

W. R. Griffiths, gunner on the Pigmy, stated;-I knew the deceased, who was between severteen and eighteen years of age. On Priday, the to-morrow at 2.10 p.m.

15th, about balf-past threeln the afternoon, was on board the Pigmy, wich was on the south side of the Island, in Tyta Bay. Prize firing with the machine-gun was olog on at the time. In the morning we had gone ut for the prize firing competitions, but the weathr was exceptionally bad and as fast as we pasted targets on the rocks the rain washed then out. The Captain decided that we should nived the heavy gun prize ficing that day. "We therefore went into Tytam Bay and anchored. About 2 o'clock we got under weigh again to dary out our machinegun prize firing. This wa done satisfactorily and everything was finished. I had examined all the guns and had turnel away from the gun at which the accident appened, to order the men to pick up the empy cylinders that were on the deck, and when inthat position, with my back to the gun, I heard in explosion. I looked round and saw the decemed staggering on the deck. The Doctor appared and attended to him and when we came in the boy was sent to

the Hosrital In reply to Mr. Wochhouse the witness explained at great length he working of the gun and the several duties of the men. The enquiry | face of past experiences which in themselves was adjourned until to-day.

On resuming this morning, Edward Butler,

ordinary scaman, Pigmy, one of the crew working the gun, said :- I was waiting till the firing key by decree of a police magistrate. was over to cover the gun, with the deceased; I was No. I, and it was my duty to or less responsible capacities, which we need cover the gun. I saw the last shot fired, and not enumerate. Count Josef von Uhlrich was heard the bugle-call "cease firing," I then saw sentenced at the Hongkong Magistracy to a the hopper and distributor taken off by No. 1 lengthy term of imprisonment-one year if we who were working our (starboard) gun. business transactions with certain local firms, Next thing, I saw the cover of the gun saised "on the cross." The law called it "obtaining -by the port gun crew-so that the gunner goods under false pretences," and for this paltry could examine it. I saw the gunner (the witness | difference of opinion as to the signification of a who gave evidence yesterday) examine; he few words he was sent by a cold and callous pulled back the lever and took out the cartridges. | magistrate, who had no consideration for our back the lever they dropped out and he held his from the gay and glddy circles in which Count hand below and took them. He also looked Josef had been such a popular ornament. inside the gun; I saw him do so. He was at] the stern of the gun, and he bent over and enterprise, Josef was released from 'quod' looked into the breech, to see that there was two or three days ago, and at once made a becnothing left in. He then put down the cover line for the office of this journal. He had some and dust-plate, and went away. Deceased thing important to communicate, prison experiand I covered the gun sgain, with the ences and certain valuable information which usual canvas cover. I was standing at the would e'ect ify Hongkong when made public; covered we both went to pull up the iron port, in and valued friend, the Editor. The last named the ship's side: I had hold of the port at one side and he the other. The lever of the gun (on the right side of it) was jammed against the port a couple of dollars from the good-natured and prevented its being properly closed, so I 4 Sub, " took his leave, promising to restooped under the gun and pushed the lever home. That fired the gun. The gun was then facing right forward, and the deceased was the ship's side. Deceased was struck, staggered back, and fell. He did not cry out. The to come. doctor came, and the deceased was taken On DIT that some important litigation in connect away. I should have mentioned that before covering the gun we trained it inboard it went off after we had covered it. When went to cover the gun I thought the lever was home." so that the port could have been closed un without interfering with it. It is the crew of the gun that ought to see it home. It is one of the things they are told to be careful about. is No. 2's business to see to that: After it pushed home, there is a chain to put over it The port crew, who had been firing with the gun, ought to have seen to it. They ought to have covered the gun and done all the rest, but we were doing it as it was raining. The levershould be pushed home after the gun is examined and emptied, and before training inboard. By Inspector Corcoran :-- After the accident

I did not pull back the lever again, and so the cartridges must have remained in the barrel. They were not found, so that they must have been extracted, but I do not know when or by whom; the gun was not examined until about half an bour after.

By the Court :- Four or five shots went off when I touched the lever; two went into the netting, one into the mainmast, one struck another gun, and one hit the deceased. Nobody else was struck. Pushing the lever fires all five barrels at once. I do not know whether there was a fifth shot then—only four bullets were found. Thomas Gray, ordinary scaman, H.M.S. Pigmy, said:—I was No. 2 at the starboard gun on September 15th; we were into until bugle sounded "cease firing." I then took off

the distributor, and King, No. 1, took off the hopper. I laid the distributor on the deck and picked up the empty cylinders and put them in a bucket. I did not see the gun examined, did not adjust the lever-it was not my business; l cannot say whose it was.

By Inspector Corcoran: - When I left the gun I was not aware there were five cartridges left

W. R. Griffiths, gunner, recalled, said:-When I returned to the starboard gun after going over to the port gun, the menwere actually firing. "Cerse firing" sounded on the bugle, presumably by the captain's order. I was in rear of the gun all the time, as close as could be without interfering. I saw the hopper and distributor removed by the crew-I cannot say which individual: I then raised the cover myself and took the cartridges off the plungers, drew back the hand lever, and saw that the rear ends of the barrels were clear. The gun was empty. I cannot remember whether I put back the cover or not, I turned away. from the gun and told the crew to pick up and count the empty cylinders. While standing so I heard the shots. The crew then at the gun consisted of King and Gray. Butler and deceased. were the gun's own crew. I did not see the lever fixed after "cease firing ;" that is done at the order "secure," but I did not hear this order, I would have to give it myself ; I may have. given it, but I do not remember. The proper events were not concluded in time for publication time would be after examining. I did finish in this issue. the examination all right. At the order "secure" the gun should be trained fore-and-aft, the lever pushed forward and secured, and the port hauled up. As gunner of the ship, I suppose it was my duty to see the " secure " done when ordered. It was important to have the cylinders counted. because in prize firing it is necessary to know the exact number of rounds fired. The crew would not ordinarily be justified in securing without ar order : but at this time, as it was raining hard, think they would be justified in securing after noon :-examination without waiting for orders. I turned away from the gun to watch the cylinders being picked up. I solemnly swear there was nothing in the gun when I examined it ; and the hopper and | twelve months ending the 30th June last, wo distributor were both off. I cannot explain how regret to say that the confident anticipations of it happened that shots were fired a few seconds a very profitable season to which your Managing afterwards. There is no possible explanation Director Mr. R. Frazer-Smith gave expression how it became loaded. It is not possible that I in the last report, and in which we all then was mistaken in thinking the gun empty; people | shared, have unfortunately not been realized. who do not know any better might make that | Visitors to the World's Fair at Chicago have not explanation, but as a gunner I am sure it was come this way in any great numbers, and of the not so. It is no more possible than that the lew that have passed through Hongkong only a hopper was not off when I saw it off. It is | very small proportion found their way to Canton. impossible for any man who knows anything . Our earnings for the 22 months have reliber imagine how it can have happened.

empties, and while I was doing that I heard the for the expected inflow of visitors, shots. I did not hear any order to secure the

as to the nature of the vounce.

ANOTHER GERMAN NOBLEMAN GONE WRONG.

COUNT 'JOE' VON UHLRICH AGAIN UNDER

That distinguished and enterprising specimen of German Nobility, Count Josef von Uhlrich, erstwhile of somewhere in the great and glorious Fatherland, but more recently of British North Borneo, Lappa (Macao), and Victoria Gaol, Hongkong, has again illuminated the dead-andalive duliness of local affairs by showing once more what an accomplished Chevaller d'Industrie can actually do when he means business. Count Josef is a person of ancient lineage and has a most imposing aprearance-a life-like presentment of this celebrity, duly numbered, is to be found in the Rogues' Gallery at the Central-Police Station; whilst his high-bred manners and general-well, je se sais quoi quite endeared him to the ditte of foreign society in this select colony, especially down westward. But notwithstanding all these advantages and in the are a life's history, "Joe" has again run the gauntlet with his customary audacity, and, sad to relate, is in consequence now under lock and

After considerable experience in various mor No. 2 of the crew of the part gun, mistake not-for carrying out a few harmless saw him take them out. When he pulled hero's strategy, into dismal retirement, away After paying the penalty of his unsuccessful besides, he desired to pay his respects to his old eminent personage being on duty elsewhere, the Count, after borrowing as a mere matter of form turn the following day armed with all the documents that were to paralyse local society. He never returned, and we are afraid that engagements of a pressing nature are likely to prevent his returning for some time

At the Police Court this morning, Mr. Hastings on the bench, Joseph you Uhlrich, described as a Cerman, was charged with having obtained \$10 from Mr. Airey, of the Stag Hotel, under false r retences. It was proved that defendant had nuly been released from gaol a few days ago, and Detective Green, who arrested him in a select ladies' establishment last night, informed the Court that as a number of similar charges were being investigated he would ask for a remand. His Worship accordingly remanded the case for a week, and Joseph will have free board and longing at the colony's expense until that time. The versatile Count is a keen humourist. When the genial countenance of Mr. Green hove in sight last night, "Too" simply remarked-" What, do you want me again ?" and he resigned himself sweetly to the situation and surroundings. Meanwhile the promised literature that was to knock Hongkong silly. and for which the sum of two shekels was paid in advance remains an unknown quantity,

V. R. C. AQUATIC SPORTS.

The Victoria Recreation Club held its annual aquatic sports vesterday and to-day, in fine weather, but with far less success than in the old days when the Bath-house was at its best. Unless something on the old lines can be substituted for the highly inconvenient new arrangement, the V. R. C. will, it is to be feared, never again be such a popular institution,

The races last night resulted as follows :-DIVING FOR PLATE !-]. Carvalho 1st, J. . Alves and. The other competitors were G. C. Hayward, W. Kennet, J. Machado and G. Sliva. Boy's Race (under 14), 2 lengths, bandicap :-F. Jorge (3 secs.) ist. A. Obadaya (scratch)

A good number competed for this event, their handicans being as follow: -- H. S. Kennet (5 secs.), L. Lammert (4 secs.), A. E. Pumphreys secs.), A. E. Alves (2 secs.), S. Michael (13 seciji P. Carvalho (to secs.) and C. Obadaya

SHORT RACE, 2 lengths, -Frank Law mert ret : I. Machado and. G. C. Hayward, H. Thomas, W. Kennet and W. Stop and also started, but Lammort won pretty of elly in 7:2

SOLDIERS' RACE, 4 lengths,--- Private Gray rst : Corpl. Juiton and. RUNNING HEADER FROM STRING BOARD .-

. Kennet sat : J. Machado and. SWIMMING UNDER WATER.-I. Carvalho. 148 ft. 6 in., 1st ; G. C. He.yward, 122 ft., 2nd ; . Machado, 220 ft. 6 in., 3.d.

BACK SOMERSAULT FROM SPRING BOARD .-Machado 1st, J. Alves and. A.The second and concluding part of the programme was carried, out this afternoon, but the

THE SHAMEEN HOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

The following is the report of the Directors to the annual general meeting of shareholders, to be held at the Company's office, 7, D'Agullar Street, on Satdrday, 23rd September, 1893, at

To the shareholders Shameen Hotel and Land Company, Limited.

Gentlemen.-In submitting our report for the

about a gun to make such a mistake. I cannot been better, nor, worse than the average of the past three years. Our expenditure in and about H. E. King, private, R. M. L. I., Plymy said : the Hotel has been a little greater than in the -I was No. I of the port oun with Gray. At provious twelve months as we expended sores the "cease firing " I took off the hopper and put | monics in necessary repairs and in adding some it on deck. Mr. Griffiths told me to count the small comforts and conveniences in preparation

The Hotel buildings are in good order and condition, fairly well furnished and arranged, and the management has been satisfactory in so E. C. Lom's, Surgeon, Pigmy gave ovidence | far that we have had no complaints. We thought it sight to remove the former Manager principally The inquest was at this stage adjourned unt'l on the ground that he was the proprietor of and carrying on another Hotel in Canton, We are

our acceptance of this offer which will be laid little opportunity of judging, for before they could before them at the Annual Meeting, and we well realize what had happened the panther recommend it to their acceptance as holding out | with a sudden spring landed on Max' breast and a prospect of a dividend of about 5 per cent at buried its teeth in his arm, close to the shoulder, whe end of the current year (Hotel year) and of The attendants rendered what assistance they

whole period covered by this report, but notice reached the door of the cage and made has been given us by the tenant of his intention good his escape; he was covered with to leave at the end of September. We are blood and had his dress badly torn, but negotiating for a renewal of the term and have it was not until some time afterwards

of claims by and against the Company which | the Victoria Hotel, where he had his wounds had given a considerable amount of trouble in dressed. The most serious are the two on the previous years. In so doing we have had to right arm, which are deep and painful, in fact, Increase the permanent charges on the Com- the panther's teeth seem to have met in both pany's property by \$5 000, but we believe that instances; he also has a deep scratch across the the position of the Company and simplified the

Articles of Association one of your directors, Mr. Francis Q.C., retires, and a director will have to be elected to fill the vacancy. The accounts have been audited by Mr. W.

> JOHN J. FRANCIS Chairman.

From the 15' July, 1892, to the 30th June, 1893. Assels.

Account as per books......\$35,004.62 -. Since added Less written Fixtures and Furniture as

per last Account...... 7.554 41 Since paid for...... 928.80 Stores in Stock at Canton ... \$ 81.49 Llq 1015 Stationery..... Insurance unexpired..... Cash in Bank..... \$ 433-47

Accounts Receivable..... Sharer. -300 fully paid up shares registered in the name of the late

\$41,667.23 Liabilities.

Plin and now in the hands of the Company in settlement of all claims on his Estate are not included herein.

ment Co mpany \$1 1,500.00 French Mis tion, Canton.. 3,500 00 Accounts Payab le..... Balance

SHAMEEN HOTEL--WORKING ACCOUNT. Stores value consumed\$ 379.22 Liquors value consumed...... 1,660.93

Charges:—Advertising 136.00 Repairs Special Survey... Miscellaneous ... 248.48 Balance Profit and Loss

Gross Enrnings Hotel, 12 montils...... 8,214.78

\$ 8,214.78 PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT. Muricipal taxes and land rent Fire Insurance Interest on loans

Office 69.17 Miscellan.cous 254.35 Legal 77.50 Director's fee..... Auditor's fee Loss on adjustment of old aco. sunts-

Balance at credit 2,899.31 Shameen Hotel profit on working..... Ice House property rent of...... Transfer fees..... Profit on adjustment of old Less written off property 4.021.96

Allowance old accounts grayable on adjustment of uppaid a alis ...

the books and vouchers at the Courseny's office and certify the same to be I k accordance , therewith. W. HUTH ON POITS,

Au iltor.

PROFESSOR MAX MAULIED BY A PANTHER.

Yesterday afternoon whilst going through a blem; his fist is more like a cestus than a neutral tracts are to be marked out in the forest special performance in the "Wild Bet at Show," | manual extremity, and to the slert wariness of the regions. at West Point, Professor Max was atte cked by a | Ithacan he adds the personal strength of an Ajax. panther, as briefly stated in yesterda y's Tele. The hired brave got up and came on with his Marsellies, accompanied by a sole attendant, graph, and although the wounds he reactived are sword, meaning business; but Mr. Lindberg has, it is reported, given birth to four children, not considered to be of a very danger on a nature struck in while he was doing a preliminary three boys and a girl. All are said to be doing they are sufficiently severe to prevent him from | flourish, wrenched it from his hand and gave | very well, ... entering the ring before to-morrow night. him such a cloud over the head with it as His Excellency the Governor was pre sent with almost to cause an indecent exposure of his Germany. In 1892 the United States sent about a large party of friends, and everything; had gone brains. As it was, the poor regue got a huge 25 per cent of the tye imported into Germany. well until the last item on the programme was gash over the scalp ; he was instantly put Aors This year the quantity imported from America on which occasion he will introduce some renched. In this act Mex endeavoured to put a | de combat, arrested and given into custody. The pauther-which was only trapped stad brought | management promptly informed Consul Brenan in it m the langle last month—through his pere) of the circumstances; this gentle dan at once the Mckinley tariff, and to promote a better formance. The brute that tisually appears to this | seck the matter up in a most commercial understanding with the United |

osing the services of the new Manager, Mr. | act was sick, and "Pluton," a novice, was tried rage, or deliberately chose a moment when the We ask the approval of the shareholders to tamer was least on his guard, the audience had could and the spimal finally gave up its hold The Ice House properly has been let for the and dropped to the ground. Max promptly that he felt much pain. Every assistance was We have during the year, disposed of a number | rendered him and he was at once conveyed to nose and another down the back. Professor Max throughout has shown great plack and nerve and even returned to look after the animals in the symptoms present themselves the Professor will

> MACAO. (FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT).

days. An express issued to-day states that

Max is not seriously hurt at all, and will be able

to appear as usual to-morrow night, "on which

occasion he will introduce changes in the pro-

gramme." We sincerely hope so !

September 18th, 1893. The weather has been very changeable of late but the rains which have fallen have done an Immensity of good to the crops in the vicinity of

the Holy City. It is not yet definitely known when Governor Borja will return from Japan, nor how his mission to that country is faring, but it is probable he will be back here next month, for his term of

office expires then. Dr. Veign, local Registrar and Protector of Chinese, has been appointed Judge at Lourenço Marques and left Macso for that colony last Saturday. The Attorney General is also away, having been commissioned to visit Timor for the purpose of arranging for a full collection of the indigenous products of that Island to be forwarded to the Oporto Exhibition. While on the subject of the hands of his uncle the Vicercy, who was Timor I may state that the Portuguese Govern-420.07 ment has failed to do anything at all towards it in his usual spirit of robust good sense. The 32.50 improving that outlying and benighted possession engineers have gone back to their stations with 32.50 which is overburdened with taxes of every their grievances redressed .- N. C. Daily News. conceivable nature.

Business generally is exceedingly dull just now, and money less plentiful than has ever 1,076.68 been known. As a result there were a series of public auctions last week, and a deal of property in the vicinity of the Steamboat Company's wharf changed hands. These auctions were brought about through the inability of the holders to meet their financial engagements; hence forced sales.

The drawing in connection with last month's lottery has taken place and the result has proved that, notwithstanding all the accumulations of his office. Old Nick still has time to look after his own, for a local lawyer, Mr. C. Jorge, not only won the first prize but three other premiums as

Professor Sers gave two very successful performances in the Theatre here, as well as a private "show" at the residence of the Countess Senna Fernandes. He naturally spoke very highly of the "Gem of the Orient Earth," remark. ing that as a show town it altogether eclipsed year.

The result of the recent increase of the stamp | membership. duties etc., has already made itself manifest, particularly in the higher cost of all kinds of

An extensive robbery took place at Dr. Almeida's the other day. A coolie in the employ of the Doctor managed to annex \$85 in cash and a quantity of jewellery, most of which, however, has since been found burled in the garden. The thief has not yet been captured. The Telarios is expected here on or about the sand, but I have not yet ascertained what number of coolies she is to take away. I hope to gain all necessary information in the course of a few days and anything of interest will

be cromptly forwarded to you. A new paper "for private circulation only," was started here the other day, but has been suppressed by the Senado. It simed at many things but missed most A them, hence its early demise.

TIENTSIN NOTES.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

TIENTSIN, 13th September, 1893. Tientain was startled this week by exaggerated reports of stirring events in Taku; rumour and fear begot as usual a bulky expansion of the real incidents of a fracas which might have been serious. While lightering a steamer at Tongku list week, the manager of the Taku Tug and Lighter Company had reason to comelain of carcless stowage on the part of the stevedores; Nature's noblemen resented this interference on the part of the external barbarian and showed themselves contumacious, whereupon Mr. Macrae, the official in question, promptly suspended (discharged ?) the entire crew, lacdah and all. This summary proceeding gave even less satisfaction than the verbal complaint. After an ineffectual attempt to bring out-to ase the striking language of Labour's leaders in the West-the whole of the employes and so paralyse the trade of the port, the malcontents fell back on the argumentum ad baculinum, which in this case was a sword. They went and hired three professional bullles, and accompanied by an ardent crowd of village 73.43 sympathisers paid a visit to Mr. Wong on Friday last. This gentleman is the interpreter and bear the brunt of most of the friction between | begun to ship peaches and other fruits to London, foreigners and natives. On this occasion they getting them there in twenty-one days. plainly showed that they thought bim the originator of the new policy, but they were quite wrong. Mr. Wong received them in the presence of Messrs. Macrae and Lindberg. The latter, seeing one of the professionals swaggering up in an nomistakable manner, calmly treated him as Ben Macoone did the ox, i.e. he felled hird with one from the shoulder. We may casually remark that Mr. Lindberg understands

the "noble art"; with the gloves on he is

pretty sight, but without them a serious pro-

spirit; he instantly communicated with the Chinese authorities who also acted in a manner which reflects credit on their intelligence and measures for the protection of the little foreign community, and to deal severely with

the rowdy elements if they tried to get the upper hand. Still there was a little scare, and the majority of the ladles have wisely tak n a few days hollday with us or out on the bar. The stevedores are vapouring a good deal about vengeance, but as the native authorities are on the alert and the yamin runners have suiffed prey, affairs will in all probability quickly subside into a normal condition. The Take Tug and Lighter Company really treats its native employes well; except the dockyard and the single trade of fishing, it is the one thing in Taku which keeps the place going. For some years past there have been difficulties in enforcing discipline; the trade guild has been cautiously trying its strength; with its growth the landaks have been taking more and more upon themselves till now they are a set of "superbious Jacks-in-office," who fancy they and they alone run the whole, concern. The management is much to be commended for insisting on discipline, and hipping, while still in the bud, a senti-

ment which might ultimately ruin a valuable

Altentain has during the last week been an interested spectator of another quarrel. Chang, the former Trotal of the Formosa railway, has brought a rettilogging spirit of interference into the Imperial China Railway even which he now presides. He has ever since his arrival had some fi cal difference of opinion with his coadjuto s. Directors Li and Chou, and has thought it incumbent on himself to show his sense of this by stopping the supplies. The result is that this summer and autumn will be almost entirely wasted : the pay of the foreign staff meantime runs on and adds materially to the prime cost of the "road." For some reason, while the salaries of the staff have been paid (not always duly, however,) their "allowances," which when at work outside the Great Wall are considerable, have been allowed to get into long arrear. For five months the engineers have had their allowances stopped and could get neither redress nor explanation, except that Chang Taotal had ordered them not to be disbursed, or at least was responsible, for their non-payment. The position latterly became intolerable so, a few of these gentlemen came down and gave Mr. Chang a very plain intimation of their views on the subject of breach of contract. It is believed that in addition to their strictures he has received a severe mauling at

NEWS AND GOSSIP.

promptly informed of the position and looked at

Plans have been completed for forming free a arbour at Danisic. The Italian silk crop this year is about 25 per

cent above the average. Great Britain has about 100,000 absolutely "homeless wanderers." The Marquis of Bute will erect a Roman

Catholic college at Aberdeen. Two-thirds of the 90,000 paupers in London are said to be able-bodied people. A statue to Queen Christina, mother of the

ex-Queen Isabella, is to be erected at Madrid. Moody, the evangelist, writes to London that he will remain in the United States this winter. Every regiment of the British Army in India has been rearmed with the new magazine rifles. Consul-General Mason reports that Germany will need large quantities of American grain this

A new Italian labor union in Brooklyn provides [There's many a true word spoken in jest,-Ed.] that only American chizens are eligible for

By a recently issued Imperial edict, women are bereafter debarred from acting as editors on apanese papers. The Oueen of Italy has founded a society for

the reform of street children by teaching them some useful occupation. In spite of every effort to step it, the London Mansion House Victoria Relief fund continues to increase, and now exceeds £60,000.

Venice is in hopes of reviving her ancient maritime prosperity, and once more becoming one of the foremost ports of the world. In Pugland this summer six persons have been sentenced to terms of hard labor as punishment for attempting to commit suicide.

The ravages of the Asiatic cholera in Western Russia this summer are even more extensive than they were at any time of last year. Cloaks were never before as cheap in England as they are at present. The reason alleged is that German competition has cut down the

a -ule in effect in Leipzig, Saxony, assesses the expense of calling out the Fire Department to the owner of the house where the fire

originated. The crops in Bulgaria are reported to be in bad condition. Too much rain has been the trouble, and in some parts of the country the

seed has rotted. The ex-Empress Eugenie is godmother to 3,834 French children who were born on March 16, 1856, the day of the birth of her son, the

Prince Imperial. Don José Galindo, Mayor of Valencia, Spain, has been sentenced to fourteen years each on 217 indictments for falsifying rublic documents,

or 3,038 years in all. There was a net decrease in the British revenue receipts during the first quarter of the present financial year of £781,258 as compared with the same period last year.

Mrs. Langiry was one of the conspicuous figures at the Brighton race meeting, where she appeared attired one day in yellow and the next in black and white striped silk. The statement is made in Paris that " French

agriculture has lost as much money this year because of the drought as the Germans received by way of war indemnity after 1870. South Africa is developing a truit industry. local compradore of the Company, and has to | Within a couple of years the Cape Colony has

Reports from Lancashire announce that South American orders for most classes of goods have especially being much more satisfactory. During the month of July gold to the value of

£462,353 was exported from Cape Colony; and from June 24th to July 30th gold to the value of £1,272,000 was exported from Australia. The border line between France and Germaty is to be re-marked to avoid unpleasant incidents. Large boundary posts are to be set up and

A very rich young foreign princess, staying in

Supplies of tye from America are pouring into

An Association "to work for the abolition of

| States " was in process of formation in Paris

some weeks ago. Porto Rico proposes to open an exhibition next November to commemorate the 40-th anniversary of the discovery of the Island. Space will be granted to exhibitors free of charge, and exhibits admitted free of customs duties.

South Australia's revenue receipts for the past twelve months were £34to,coo, a decrease of £180,000 as compared with the previous year, Victoria's receipts were £6.063,000, a decrease of £766,000 as compared with last year.

Another instance of the Germanophobia which has broken out in the Russian official world is an order prohibiting Germans from sojonraing within seven leagues of any fortress in the provinces of Koyno Grodno and Vilna in Poland. The Agrarian Unions throughout Germany are pressing Chancellor von Caprivi to raise the tariff on Austrian cereals in the event of a commercial treaty being concluded between

Austria and Russia. The foundation-stone of the sucient Kilwinning Mesonic Lodge has just been unearthed. An examination of the stone shows that Masons in the old days did not fill foundation-stones with coins and other things.

King Humbert recently had sold at public auction, in one of the court yards of the Quirinal, · Il the old furniture, porcelain, glass, etc., that had gone out of fashion since Victor Emmanuel's day. He made it a veritable clearing-out sale.

A tourist having complained to the police at Lucerne of the loss of 12,000f sustained by him at the gaming tables at an establishment there, the police, upon finding that the accusation was correct, ordered the gambling-house to be closed

found in the Jagersfontein mine, in the Orango | 7th October, both days inclusive. Free State, is now in Tondon, in the hands of the syndicate of dismond brokers, who are entitled to share the profit on its sale. It is over 900 carats in weight.

Influenza is believed to be dying out in Lon-Jon after being more or less prevalent since the first outbreak over the world several years ago. For a considerable time the number of deaths from the malady have been about twenty a week. During the second week of June only six such deaths occurred.

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F. G. Figg. First Assistant,

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> Co-day's Advertisements.

"ANTRE DES FAUVES." NOTICE

WING to the accident at the Matinda Performance yesterday (which was under

increased in many quarters, the Argentine trade | the Distinguished ... Patronage of H. E. the Governor, Lady Robinson and Suite and the Ladies of Hongkong), Mr. MOTTET begs to appounce to the community of Hongkong that there will be NO PERFORMANCE TO-NIGHT at West Point, but the usual Exhibition of the Wild Animals will take place until 6 P.M. ADMISSION CENTS.

The SUDDEN ATTACK made on Professor MAX by the male Panther "PLUTON" was not so serious as seems to be the impression now current in the Colony; only a bite on the fore. arm just above the wrist, a scratch on the nose and a few bruises on the right shoulder. Professor Max wishes to announce that the injuries he has received will not prevent him

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Hongkong, 19th August, 1703.

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NOTICE is bereby given that the IN TWENTIETH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the SOCIETY will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 7th October next, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year 1802, and for the halfyear ending the 30th June, 1893.

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Secretary.

Hongkong, 21nd September, 1803.

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an increased dividend thereafter.

we have nevertheless, on the whole, improved |

management for the future. The accounts for the year are submitted here- menagerie last night. Should no dangerous In conformity with the provisions of the continue his exhibitions in the course of a few-

H. Patts, whose re-election as auditor is reco mended.

R. C. HURLEY, Secretary. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS.

Land and Buildings. Property

Cash in hand, Hongkong 613,21 & Canton

John Pitman in the hands of the Company unsold. Capik al\$24,540.00 300 fully paid up Shares registered in the name of the late John

Mortgage Deb.ts --Hongkon & Land Invest-

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Untimations.

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The Share Market.

LATEST QUOTATIONS. Hoogkong and Shanghai Bank,-100 per cent., prem., sellers. The National Bank of China, Ld.—on £8.10. paid up,-60 per cent, dis., buyers. The National Bank of China, Ld.-Founders shares, \$130 per share, sellers.

The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ld. so cents, sellers. The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ld .-

Founders' shares, £20, sellers.
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B—21 per cent. premium, sellers, Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-2 per cent.

premium, buyers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E-14 per cent. Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$82 per share, sales

China Traders' Insurance Company-\$49 per share, ex div., sellers. North China Insurance—Tis. 115 per share, Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$112 per

share, buyers. Yangteze Insurance Association—\$60, sellers. On Tal Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 150 per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$195 per

share, sellers. China Fire Insurance Company-\$78 per share, sales and buyers.

Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co .-\$26 per share, sellers. China and Manila Steam Ship Company-\$25 per share, buyers.

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited -to per cent. discount, sellers. Douglas Steamship Company-\$41 per share, sales and buyers.

The Steam Launch Co., Limited-\$20 per share. buyers. Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company-71 per cent. premlum, buyers.

Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited-\$15 per share, Hongkong Hotell Company-\$19 per share,

Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per-cent. Debentures The Austin Arms Hotel and Bullding Company, Limited-\$4 per share, sellers. The Shameen Hotel Co., Limited-\$4 per

share, buyers. Frunjom Mining Co.—\$5 per share, sales and The Raub Gold Mining Co., Limited-\$5 per

share, sellers. The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Limited-30 cents, per share, sellers. Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin

-\$60 per share, buyers. The Jelebu Mining and Trading Co., Limited-\$5 60 sales and sellers. London and Pacific Petroleum Co., Ld.-nix.

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$150 per share, sales and buyers. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$322

sellers. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-\$10 sales and Dakin, Cruickshank & Co., Limited-\$1 per share, sales. Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$5 per share, buyers.

The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited-\$7 per share, sales and buyers. The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited-\$54 per share, sales and sellers. The West Point Buildings Co., Limited-\$20 per share, sellers.

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MAILS EXPECTED

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. & O. S.N. Co.'s steamer Majors. with the outward English mail, left Singapore on the 19th instant of 5 s.m., and may be expected here on the 24th.

The Norddeutscher Lloyd steamer Preugeen, with the German mail, left Singapore on the size ! For Halphong .- Per Halphong on Sunday, the Jastant, and may be expected here on the soth, I geth tastant, at g A.M. "

THE AMERICAN MAILS.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Paking, with mails, &c., from San Francisco, left Yokohama on the 20th instant, and may be expected here on the 26th.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer China, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port Honolulu and Yokohams, on the 18th instant,

THE CANADIAN MAIL The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer Embress of China left Vancouver on the 10th instant for Yokohams, Kobe, Nagasaki, and Shanghal, and may be expected here on the roth proximo.

STRAMERS EXPECTED.

The China Shippers' Mutual S. N. Co.'s steamer Pakling left Singapore on"the 19th instant, and is expected here on the 25th. The Navigatione Generale Italiana steamer Glava, from Genea, left Bombay on the 14th

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Fava left London for this port on the 20th ultimo.

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DENBIGHSHIRE, British steamer, 1.662, Davies, 21st Sept.,- London, and Singapore 15th Sept., General.-Dodwell, Carlill & Co.

CICKRO, British cteamer, 1.030, A. George, 21st Sept.,-Saigon 17th Sept., General,-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. FORMOSA, British steamer, 2,615, E. P. Bishop,

21st Sept.,-Shanghai 19th Sept., General, --P. & O. N. S. Co. WINGSANG, British steamer, 1,517, de St. Crolx, 22nd Sept.,-Calcutta 6th Sept., and Singa-

pore 16th, Opium and General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. ACTIV, Danish steamer, 355, H. Hygom, 22nd Sept.,-Pakhol roth September, and Holhow

21st, General and Pigs .- Nam Tal. CHOY-SANG, British steamer, 1,194, R. C. D. Bradley, 22nd Sept.,-Canton 22nd Sept., General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

SAINT ASAPH, British stemmer, 1,199, H. D. Wood, 22nd Sept., -Singapore, and Holhow 20th Sept., General.-Chinese. HANGCHOW, British steamer, 999, C. Derby,

22nd Sept.,-Kutchinotzu 27th September, General.-Butterfield & Swire. MANDARIN. British steamer, 1,170, C. W. Ralson,

22nd Sent .- Saigon 18th Sept., Rice,-Gibb, Livingston & Co. NIERSTEIN, German steamer, 731, Pankow, 22nd Sept.,-Manila 19th Sept., Ballast,-Melchers & Co.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Soothow. B itish steamer, for Salgon. Triumoh, German steamer, for Holhow, &c. Fushun, Chinese steamer, for Shanghal. Daphne, British steamer, for Singspore. Pekin, British steamer, for Amoy, &c.

DEPARTURES. September 22, Yiksang, British steamer, for Foochow, &c.

September 22, Taichlow, British steamer, for September 22, Thales, British str., for Swatow and Taiwinfoo.

September 22, Dachne, British steamer, for September 22, Fushus, Chinese steamer, for

Shanghal.

PAREEMGERS-ARRIVED. Per Cicero, from Salgor .- 90 Chinese. Per Formosa, from Shanghai for Bombay.-Mr. Judd. For London,-Mr. and Mrs.

Per Wingsang. from Calcutta, &c.-Mr. Morgan, and 764 Chinese. Per Activ, from Pakhol, &c.-Mr. Sharnborst,

and 45 Chinese. Per Mandarin, from Salgon .- 7 Chinese. Per St. Asaph, from Singapore, &c .- 106

Per Saghallen, from Hongkong for Shanghal. -Messrs, A. Messy, Girault, E. Byrne, Mrs,

Ah Sin, and 3 Indians, For Yokohama .-Mesers, R. Robertson, D. Macdonald, and M. Christy. From Marseilles for Shanghai.-Mesers. Knight Okeyton and L. de Holdthausen. For Kobe.-Mr. F. Kono, From Calcutta for Yokohama.-Mr. and Mrs. Maconeley, infant and smah. From Singapore.-Mrs. Ohsinoth. Mrs. Ohtogbee, Messrs. Shibuya, Hayagi and Kasunoto. From Salgon.-Messrs, Esmeujand and Asse. REPORTS.

The British steamship Formosa reports that

she left Shanghai on the 19th Instant. Had fine weather throughout the voyage. The German steamship Nierstein reports that she left Manila on the 10th instant. Had fine clear weather with light variable breeze and

smooth sea throughout. The British steamship Cicere reports that she variable winds and calms with fine clear weather and smooth sea throughout,

The Beltish steamship Hangehow reports that she left Kutchinotsu on the 17th instant. Had light winds and fine weather to lat. 28 north and long, 123 east, ran into a heavy easterly swell, On the 19th experienced typhoon weather; thence to port had fine weather,

The British steamship Wingsang reports that she left Calcutta on the 6th instant. From Sand Heads to Sayers-Island had strong south-west monsoon with heavy squalls and sea, ship rolling heavily; thence to Penang had moderate winds and cloudy weather. Through the Straits had light south-east winds and fine weather. From Singapore had light south-west monsoon with fine weather to lat. 150 north; thence to port had light variable winds and calms.

Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE-

For Rangoon.-Per Windsor to-morrow, the 23rd instant, at 9 30 A.M. For Stralts and Calcutta,-Per Catherine Abcar to-morrow, the 23rd instant, at 11.30 A.M.

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For Singapore and London .- Per Rormasa to-morrow, the 23rd instant, at \$1.30 A.M. 23rd instant, at 1.30 P.M.

23rd instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Amoy, and Manile .- Per Yususang tomorrow, the 23rd instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Foochew,-Per Taiyuan to-morrow, the agrd instant, at 5 P.M.

For Bangkok - Per Chowfa to-morrow, the 24 d instant, at 5 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Tamaut.-Per Pormose to-morrow, the sard lastant, at \$ 2.16.

For Yokohama and Hlogo,-Per Bellena on Monday, the 25th lossant, at 3 30 P.M. For Singapore, Batavia, Samarang, and Sourabays. -- Per Hupes on Tuesday, the 26th instant,

at 2. to P.M. For Shanghal.-Per Pelyang on Tuesday, the 26th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Europe, &c., India, via Bombay.-Per Rosella on Thursday, the 28th instant, at II

For Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and San Francisco.—Per Gaelic on Thursday, the 18th For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Per Ancena on Friday, the 20th instant, at 11,30 A.M. For Singapore. Per Kriemkild on Friday,

the 20th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta,--Per Wingsang on Saturday, the 30th Instant, at 11.30 A.M.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG

STRAWERS. AMIGO, German steamer, 771, T. Bendixen, 16th July,—Saigon 12th July, Rice.—Wieler & Co.

BELLONA, German steamer, 4,000, P. Jaccer, 21st Sept.,-Singapore 16th Sept., General. -Siemssen & Co.

BANTAM, Dutch steamer, 1,457, C. J. van do Bergh, 19th July, -Bangkok 13th July, Rice. -Lauts, Wegener & Co. BENLAWERS, British steamer, 1,483, A. Webster,

10th Sept., - Moji 14th Sept., Coals. - Gibb, Livingsion & Co. CAPE COLONNA, British steamer, 2,764, H. J. Alston, 18th Sept .- Canton 18th Sept. General .- Jardine, Matheson & Co.

CATHERINE APCAR, British steamer, 1,733, G. Olifent, 14th Sept.,-Calcutta 26th Aug., Penang 4th Sept., and Singapore 8th, Oplum and General.-D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. CHOWFA, British steamer, 1,055, F. W. Phillips, 18th Sept.,-Bangkok 11th Sept., and

Koh-si-chang 12th, Rice and General .--Yuen Fat Hong. DEVAWONGSE, British steamer, 1,057, George Anderson, 20th Sept., - Bangkok 13th Sept. Koh-si-chang 14th, Rice and General .--

Yuen Fat Hong. DOMAR, German steamer, 1,015, B. Grundmann, 20th Sept ,-Bangkok 13th Sept, General, -Lants, Wegener & Co. Elsk, German steamer, 500, T. Lammers, 20th

Sept.,-Kjan Chow Bay 4th Sept., Ballast. -Melchers & Co. EMPRESS OF JAPAN, British steamer, 5,904, Geo. A. Lee, 19th Sept.,-Vancouver 20th Aug. via Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki, Shanghal 16th Sept., General.—C. P. Rallway Co.

FAME, British steamer, 117, Captain McIsaac, -Hongkong Government tender. FORMOSA, British steamer, 680, T. Hall, 21st Sept.,-Tameni 17th Sept., Amoy 19th, and Swatow 20th, General.—D. Lapraik & Co. GARLIC, British steamer, 4,200, Pearne, 17th

Sept.,-San Francisco 26th August, and Yokohama 12th Sept., Mails and General. -0. & O. S.S. Co. GHAZEE, British steamer, 2,764, Scotland, 20th Sept.-Moll 14th Sept., Coal.-Dodwell, Carlil & Co.

GLUCKSBURG, German steamer, 918, P. Thomsen, 5th Sept., -Bangkok 28th Aug., General. -Melchers & Co. HAILOONG, British steamer, 783, J. S. Rosch, 17th Sept ... Tameni 13th Sept., Amoy 15th, and Swatow 16th, General,-D. Lapraik

& Co. HAIPHONG, French steamer, 874, H. Galetti, 18th Sept.,-Haiphong 16th Sept., General, -Messageries Maritimes. HANOI, French steamer, 739, E. Montells, 20th

Sept. - Halphong 18th Sept., General -A. R. Marty. HUPER, British steamer, 1,846, T. Quall, 16th Sept., -- Samarang 5th Sept., Sugar. -- Butter-INDEPENDENT, German steamer, 1,003, Schlifer.

11th July,-Maritimes 15th June, General. -Wieler & Ca. KWEIYANG, British steamer, 1,063, A. W. Outerbridge, 20th Sept., - Canton 20th Sept., General.-Butterfield & Swire,

LENNOX, Biltish steamer, 1,327, W. Waid, 21st Sept. - Koh-si-chang 15th Sept. Rice.-Dodwell, Carlill & Co. MORAY, British steamer, 1,411, Williamson, 18th Sept. - Jaran rath Sept., General .- Dod-

well, Carlill & Co. NURNEERO, German steamer, 3,207, H. Walter, 17th Sept. Yokohama oth Sept., Kob 12th, and Nagasaki 13th, Mails and General -Melchers & Co.

PEKIN, British steamer, 118, Raymond, 15th Sept. -- Amoy 12th September, General --PILOT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stopani -Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.

PROPONTIS, Pritish steamer, 1,387, W. H. Farrand, 14th March,-Salgon oth March, Rice and Paddy.—Arnhold, Karbers & Co. SOOCHOW, British steamer, 900, N. Martin, 10th Sept.,-Kutchinoizu 15th Sept., Coals.-Butterfield & Swire.

TACOMA, British steamer, 1,661, J. R. Hill, 20th Sept .- Tacoma 22nd August, and Yokohama rith Sept. General,-Dodwell, Carlill

R.N.R., 11th Sept., Sydney 17th August, Coals and General.—Butterfield & Swire. TRIUMPH, German steamer, 674, J. Petersen, 18th Sept. -- Pakhol 14th Sept., and Hollow 17th, General.—Ed. Schellhass & Co. WINDSOR, British steamer, 1,795, J. Rasburn Ath Sept.,-Batoum 28th August, Kerosens

SAILING VESSELS.

UII.-E. D. SARROOD & Co.

DOLPH, German bark, 767, E. Westergaard. grat Aug.,-Hamburg 220d April, General. -Siemssen & Co. Assyria, British bank, 1,148, H. W. Dunip, 5ti July,-Singapore 17th June, Timber,---

Master. BITTERM, British barquentine, 393, 1 J. Strensch, 17th Sept.,-Albany, W.A., 29th July, Sandalwood.-Order CENTENNIAL, American ship. 1,223, B. J. Colcord, No. 72, Queen's Road Central,

6th Sept., -Singapore 23rd August, Timber. CREEDECOR, British ship, 1348; W. B. Konnedy, 28th August,-Shanghai soth Aug., Ballast. ---Siemelea & Co.

EMILIE, German bark 948; H. Schutt, Sist July; -Halphoug old July, Hallast .- Captain, EMILY F. WHITNEY, American ship, 1,249, A. J. Paisons, 3rd Sept.,—Saigun 24th August, Paddy and Rice Flour.—Order. 28th August,-Shanghal 15th August, Bal-

For Halphong.—Per Hanol to-morrow, the For Salgon.—Per Giucksburg to-merrow, the John H. Kelley, American bark, 1,878, E. S. April, Kerosene Oil.—Captain.

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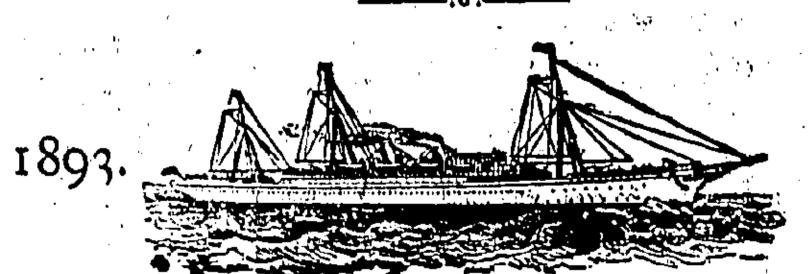
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